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NAMING THE LOSERS

The Republicans of Pettis Are Doing It Today.

MR. BOTHWELL DECLINES

But Was Nominated, Despite His Earnest Protest.

MERTZ WANTS A PRIMARY,

But Is Informed That It Is Too Late—A Delay Caused by a Contesting Delegation.

The host of hungry republican office-seekers of Pettis county swarmed down upon Sedalia at an early hour this morning, although the appointed time for opening the convention was fixed at 11 o'clock. The candidates from the country brought their friends along with them, and they, with the city candidates, made life a burden for the delegates, who had been elected by a peculiar juggling process to pick out the men to carry the party's banner through the fall campaign and go down to certain and overwhelming defeat at the polls.

During the forenoon, Ohio street was the skirmish ground, and delegates were as busy as bees on a May morning flitting from group to group of delegates, making all kinds of promises, all kinds of trades and in fixing up a half a hundred kinds of slates. The old war-horses, the chronic office-seekers, who are perpetually bobbing up for office and seldom getting there, seemed to have the whip hand, and the preliminary programme was evidently mapped out to suit their views and individual interests.

CALL TO ORDER.
The convention was called to order at 11:10 by D. I. Holcomb, chairman of the county republican central committee, who read the call for the convention, which stated that the object of the convention was to nominate candidates for the various county and township offices, to be voted for at the general election in November, and

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also for choosing a county central committee, fifteen delegates to the Seventh district republican congressional convention to be held in Sedalia on August 14th, and fifteen delegates to the state convention to be held at Excelsior Springs on August 15. Chairman Holcomb then named P. D. Hastain as temporary chairman and I. N. Danforth as temporary secretary.

Chairman asked the pleasure of the convention and, on motion, appointed the following committees, which were composed of one delegate from each township and ward in Sedalia, with the exception of the committee on resolutions which was composed of only five members:

THE COMMITTEES.

ON CREDENTIALS—C. S. Walden, W. E. Wiley, Charles Hoffman, Charles Kelt, T. K. Proctor, James McCampbell, C. D. Brown, James Ringin, E. M. Ewers, J. D. Franklin, Ernest Powell, T. T. Votis, Walter Penquite, C. M. Weaver, Alex. Daniel, J. Wolf, Jake Lower, Oscar Green, W. R. Carpenter, Charles Kidd, Ed Longan, P. Kahrs.

ON ORDER OF BUSINESS—Henry Meuschke, W. M. Gossage, C. E. Newell, Geo. Dugan, William Jenkins, W. H. Hall, C. W. Leabo, Herman Kahrs, Nelson Painter, G. W. Schwabe, E. R. Keller, E. W. Wiley, George Shepard, D. H. Norris, J. Miller, S. E. Hovey, J. B. Vanduyke, E. P. Ford, J. H. Stephens, John Robinson.

COMMITTEE ON RESOLUTIONS—John D. Crawford, H. T. Williams, Dr. S. K. Crawford, John O'Bannon, W. S. Cummings.

There were two sets of delegates from Lake creek and each delegation was given representation on the committee on credentials.

Afternoon Session.

The convention was not called to order after the noon recess, until 1:50 p. m., and it was after 2 o'clock before the delegates settled down to business considerable time being consumed in getting them properly seated, each township and ward delegation being placed by itself.

While awaiting the reports of the committees, Chairman Hastain read a communication from John H. Bothwell declining to allow his name to be used as a candidate for the nomination for representative. Mr. Bothwell gave as his reason for declining to make the race that his private business required all of his

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STRUCK TODAY.

The Miners at Knobnoster Went Out This Morning.

Between thirty and forty miners employed in Boyd & Son's coal mine at Knobnoster went out on a strike this morning.

The men have no grievance, but agitators from Lewis and Higginsville induced them to suspend work through sympathy for strikers at other points, and they announce that they are out to remain until the general strike is declared off.

There Will Be No Trouble.

The DEMOCRAT learns that George Menefee will have no trouble about getting the amount of his insurance on his West Second street property that was damaged by fire last Saturday morning. The policy is all regular and the loss will be promptly paid.

Staking Off the Ground.

Missouri Pacific surveyors are today staking off the ground in the vicinity of the shops preparatory to the company beginning the improvements referred to at length by the DEMOCRAT nearly a month ago.

Evidently Boatright sells the lowest. Try him at 1022 East Third.

MR. NEWKIRK IS ILL.

A Trip to California is Postponed Indefinitely.

THE RECEIVER ALSO SICK.

He Will Leave Tomorrow for a Week's Rest—President Bullen, of St. Louis, Here.

LOOKING AFTER A CLAIM.

The Affairs of the Bank Turning Out Better Than at First Expected—Present Situation.

Receiver W. A. Latimer, of the First National bank, is still confined to his bed today, suffering from nervous prostration, and will leave at noon tomorrow for a secluded point, where he will have perfect quiet for the remainder of the week. He consented to see a DEMOCRAT reporter for a few minutes this morning and said:

"The mental strain has been terrible, and I feel that I must have rest, or otherwise I will break down completely and be unable to complete the work that I have mapped out."

"I do not want to appear egotistical, but I know that if I can bear up I can save the bank a good many thousands of dollars and that is what I am after. I hope to be able to be at my desk in the bank next Monday morning."

President Newkirk Ill.

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Thompson, who is now a fugitive from justice. To say that the St. Louisian was surprised when Mr. Thompson's many crooked transactions were made public but feebly expresses it; and the dispatches from Sedalia in regard to the suspended institution were looked forward to by him each day to learn what new chapter of crime had been unearthed.

No Assessment Yet.

Mr. Latimer stated this morning that he did not know exactly when the comptroller would ask for an assessment upon the stockholders, but an order to that effect at any moment would not surprise him in the least.

The receiver appears to make more of a confidante of Harmon R. Scott than any other Sedalian, and the latter spent a good portion of the forenoon in the invalid's apartment, receiving instructions in regard to work to be done during the present week, while the receiver is absent from the city.

The Farm is Worth \$450,000.

The California fruit farm of 1,700 acres, which has frequently been referred to, is said to be worth \$450,000 at a fair valuation, although it would not sell for anything like that figure at a forced sale. Mr. Newkirk owns nearly all of this vast tract, the Thompson interest being insignificant.

Times in California are no better than they are in other sections of the country at present, but they cannot last always, and when the reaction sets in Mr. Newkirk believes he will be able to realize sufficient out of his investment there to pay every dollar of his indebtedness and still have a snug sum left.

Receiver Latimer evidently labors under this belief, for he has agreed to give Mr. Newkirk sufficient time to realize on his assets instead of making him a pauper by forcing him to dispose of his interests while general depression exists throughout the country.

One thing the DEMOCRAT knows positively—when the crash came it found Mr. Newkirk with scarcely a dollar of ready cash, and since then he has had to borrow funds to pay his actual household expenses. The fugitive cashier may have fled to some foreign country where he had previously planted his thousands, as there are a good many who believe he did, but Mr. Newkirk was left to bear the blunt.

Comfort for Stockholders.

The belief is fast gaining ground that the affairs of the bank will in the end be shown to be in a much better condition than has generally been supposed. While the absconding cashier's speculations were large, they were committed outside of the bank, although it must be admitted they were made possible by reason of the position he held in the institution. A gentleman thoroughly informed in the premises said to a DEMOCRAT reporter today:

"The large majority of the bank's paper that is put up as collateral will bring in thousands upon thousands of dollars that the general public has not counted upon."

"Owing to the general depression in financial circles it has been a difficult matter to borrow money on good paper for several months past, and when it was obtained about three dollars for one had to be put up as collateral. The bank has a large amount of this paper, and when the affairs of the institution are wound up it will be seen that the stockholders have little to stand in great fear of, notwithstanding everything that has been printed up to date has been calculated to lead to the contrary belief."

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MEMORIAL DAY.

It Was Observed by the Knights of Pythias Yesterday.

Sunday, June 10, 1894, will be a day long memorable with the Knights of Pythias of Sedalia. It was Memorial or Decoration day, and the exercises held at the cemetery were impressive, appropriate and beautiful.

At 1:30 o'clock the members of the order, to the number of about 150, including Fleur-de-Lis division, No. 7, uniformed rank, Queen City lodge, No. 52, and Sedalia lodge, No. 27, assembled at Queen City lodge room and marched to the cemetery, preceded by the Sedalia Militia band.

On arrival at the burial ground, the band played a dirge, after which Hon. Dan E. Kennedy delivered a scholarly address, the exercises concluding with a prayer by E. C. Mason and the singing of the doxology. The graves of deceased members were then decorated with flowers and the knights returned to the city and dispersed.

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A Brakeman Hurt.
Frank Staples, a brakeman for Conductor Jack Patterson on the west end of the Missouri Pacific, was struck by an over-leaping telegraph pole in Kansas City last evening and knocked from a box car. He sustained a fracture of the shoulder and was badly bruised, but is expected to be able to return home tonight.

Back to Cripple Creek.

Col. J. M. Burress, of Windsor, brother or Capt. John Burress, was in the city today enroute for Cripple Creek, Colorado, where he is interested in some valuable mines. He hopes the labor troubles are about over and has confidence in the mines if only the owners are permitted to open them.

Suit by Attachment.

The S. H. Beiler Grocer Co. today brought suit by attachment against the suspended firm of Ritenour & Gorrell for \$1,775.61.

Severe Hail Storm.

A terrific hail storm visited the western part of Vernon county last evening, damaging crops to the extent of thousands of dollars.

Four Cases in Court.

One drunk and three late hour cases were in the police court today. They were fined \$10 each and given a stay.

Killed by Lightning.

R. B. Ellison, a prominent farmer near Smithton, had three fat steers killed in his pasture by lightning last Friday.

Still a Mystery.

There is no clue as yet to the whereabouts of A. C. Miner, who disappeared so mysteriously from the Pacific house last Wednesday.

Circuit Court in Session.

Circuit court is in session this afternoon, but up to 3 o'clock only a few formal entries had been made.

suffered a relapse and is again confined to his bed, two physicians being in attendance on him yesterday.

On every hand sympathy is expressed for the aged official, who, at the first step, surrendered every dollar's worth of his property, even to the cooking utensils in the kitchen of his residence, to the receiver, for the benefit of the bank's creditors—his action being in striking contrast to that pursued by the cashier of the institution.

Mr. Newkirk's health is said by his physician, Dr. Trader, to be in a precarious condition, and he has been advised to make a trip to California in the hope that it will prove beneficial. The gentleman's consent to that effect was finally gained, and had he not suffered a relapse he would have left today for the Pacific coast, in the company of his son-in-law, Mr. E. A. Phillips, of Kansas City, who has interests in the west that demand his attention. Owing to the aged president's condition, however, the trip has been postponed indefinitely.

Mr. Latimer was interrogated as to whether or not the government would interpose any objections to President Newkirk visiting California as soon as he was able to travel, but the question was not answered, the conversation being cleverly shifted to another subject.

Mr. Bullen is Here.

Chas. W. Bullen, president of the Bank of the Republic, St. Louis, arrived in the city this morning and had a conference with Mr. Latimer in his room at Sicher's hotel. Mr. Bullen's bank holds \$60,000 worth of the paper of the First National as collateral for a loan of \$20,000, and to look after it is a portion of the gentleman's mission in Sedalia.

Mr. Bullen was for years a resident of Sedalia—in fact, learned the banking business here—and was intimately acquainted with Mr.

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For Railroad Commissioner, JOSEPH H. FINKS.

The Sedalia base ball team will be all right after the members have had a little practice.

WHAT'S the use of a "convention plan" anyhow, except to allow the bosses to fix up a ticket to suit them.

THE "convention plan" of nominating candidates is not a success. The people like to have a word to say about who shall be their nominees.

THOUSANDS of Sedalia's neighbor would spend the day with her if her citizens should arrange for a genuine, old-fashioned Fourth of July celebration.

GOVERNOR WAITE threatens to establish martial law in Colorado unless the sheriff's deputies withdraw from the vicinity of Bull Hill. Any kind of law, just so it is enforced, would be a relief to the unfortunate citizens of that state.

THERE was widespread dissatisfaction among the republican masses yesterday when they saw the reports of the ward meetings, but the criticisms and denunciations were nothing to compare with the kicks that will be made when the work of the "convention" is made public.

THE McKinley bill gave the sugar trust its raw material free of duty, but put a protective tariff on the manufactured product for the benefit of the trust, and "squared itself" with the rich planters by giving them a bounty to be paid from the money of the tax-payers.

Not only was the notorious outlaw Bill Dalton killed last Friday, but his body was identified. In all previous killing of Dalton the identification has been neglected. He will probably stay killed this time, and the bankers and express messengers of the southwest will experience a feeling of relief.

THE embarrassing part of the sugar wickedness of democratic leaders, says an independent journal, is that it is simply a repetition of republican history. Every republican journal should have condemned the saccharine iniquity while it was being carried on in their own party. Waiting for the democrats to follow the precedents has considerably weakened the influence of republican journals as moral engines.

PRESIDENT MCBRIDE of the National Coal Miners' Association, says the Post-Dispatch, warned the striking miners that their only safe reliance for a fair adjustment of their claims rested on the recognition by the press of the justice of those claims, and on the force of a public opinion that would thus be exerted in their behalf. He warned them also that violence on their part and unlawful interference with the rights of other workmen and with the property of railroads or mine owners would soon silence every voice raised in their behalf, alienate public sympathy from them, and compel their fellow-

citizens and the government to treat them as criminals and public enemies.

In Chicago it is openly charged that the costly and disastrous coal miners' strike is the result of a conspiracy of certain operators and certain leading men in the Miners' union. It is charged that the coal dealers were "long" on coal; that they had large supplies on hand in the face of a somewhat reduced demand, and in order to enhance the value of the holdings they induced leaders among the miners to work up the strike, thus shutting off the supply of coal and enabling them to scoop in a big pile by the consequent increase in price. If the charge can be proven, there is no punishment too severe for the conspirators.

CONSERVATIVE men the country over will heartily endorse Senator Vest's exhortation of the republican senators who are delaying action on the tariff bill. In the course of his talk to the republican members the senator said: "And you over there (shaking his fist menacingly at the other side) want to kill this bill like an ox in the shambles, while the people are holding up their trembling and helpless hands praying for action. I protest, in the language of the distinguished chairman of the ways and means committee (Mr. Mills) when his bill was passed: 'If you are to defeat this bill strike it down in open debate; don't nibble it to death like pismires, or kick it to death like grasshoppers.'"

A CORRECT OPINION. In reference to the Thompson case and the apparent effort to work up a feeling for him that will help to excuse his rascality and give him an easy sentence if caught, the Springfield Review very pertinently and truthfully says:

"The Jefferson City Tribune thinks that the people of Sedalia who have partaken of Jimmie Thompson's hospitality and now denounce his rascality are 'ingrates.' This brings out the pointed rejoinder from the DEMOCRAT of Sedalia that to associate with and trust a man when he is believed to be honorable and honest imposes no obligation to shield him or excuse him after he is shown to be a criminal.

True as preaching. Many a man has deliberately paved his way to wrong doing by forcing his hospitality on his betters. If anything the social 'pull' has been badly overworked in commercial circles. A man who uses his good friendship or hospitality to abuse your confidence is the meanest of all."

LOST BOTH GAMES. Sedalia Was Not In It With the Jefferson City Boys.

As stated in Sunday's DEMOCRAT, the Sedalia ball club was defeated at Jefferson City Saturday, the score standing 15 to 10. Today it can be added that Sedalia was also defeated yesterday, the score being 21 to 7. The Tribune thus refers to Saturday's game:

About 2:30 o'clock yesterday afternoon about a dozen good-looking young men arrived in this city from Sedalia with the avowed intention of playing a game of base ball at Sportsman's park with the Jefferson City club. About 6 o'clock the same young men walked up from the park looking about as sorrowful as did the depositors of the First National bank in Sedalia when that institution collapsed, some four or five weeks ago. These young men played good ball for Sedalia, but good ball in the town of wrecked banks, deceased railroad booms and late lamented newspaper plants is not good ball in Jefferson City.

It was 4 o'clock when game was called and, although Sedalia had a crack battery, Jefferson City hammered Harrison's curves all over the field. It was a picnic from the word go for Jefferson City. McHenry's pitching and Lindley's catching were superb and they received splendid support. Sedalia kept up an appearance of being in the game, but it was clearly a jughandled affair. The score:

Jefferson City..... 2 0 2 1 0 0 6 3 1—15
Sedalia..... 2 0 1 0 3 4 0 0—10
Two-base hits—Gatlin, J. Ruwart. Home runs—Norton, Ruwart. Stolen bases—Roach, Roe, F. Grieshammer, Lindley. Double play—Ruwart to Grieshammer to Brace. Base on balls—Harrison, 1; McHenry, 3. Base on hit by pitched ball—McHenry, 2; Harrison, 2. Struck out—McHenry, 5; Harrison, 13. Passed balls—Lindley, 1; Roach, 3. Wild pitches—McHenry, 1; Harrison, 1. Umpires—J. Spaunhorst and Edwards.

Mr. Edwards, of Sedalia, the umpire who rendered the base decisions,

did his work in a most admirable manner, and it is hoped that he will officiate in the same capacity today.

Regarding Sunday's game, the Jefferson City correspondent of the Globe-Democrat says: "The rival teams met again this afternoon, and Sedalia met with a crushing defeat. At the end of the seventh inning, with the score 21 to 7 in favor of the Jefferson Citys, the Sedalia players quit and left the park. A big crowd of Capital City enthusiasts went wild over the second defeat of the Sedalia team."

"Hard Times."

To the Editor of the DEMOCRAT. "Did you ever see as hard times as we are having now?" This question is asked every day and still no answer is returned. I think I can make a reply and can say, that I do remember when times were a great deal harder than they are now.

When wheat sold at 25c per bushel; hogs sold for \$1.00 per 100 lbs on foot; sheep sold for 50c per head; oats brought 20c per bushel; horses, the best, \$35.00 each; hemp sold for \$2.50 per 100 pounds; mule colts \$10 to \$15 each.

This was in 1837 and '38 when people had no money and no prospects of getting any, only from selling their crops at prices as above. "Why, we would starve at such prices!" No you would not, for you would live closely and save your money and in time you would see your way out.

Men in those days put their shoulders to the load and moved the wheels themselves. The first thing was, to get out of debt and to make themselves self-supporting. This was done and in a few years the land blossomed like the rose, and ever since old Kentucky has been happy and prosperous.

Hard times teach the best lesson a man ever learned, and really we only do learn from them what is for our good. When you give a man prosperity forever, you make blind, weak and feeble; you sap his strength and capacity and make him a poor and feeble creature, only fit to be made a tool for his designing comrades. OLD TIMER.

BURNED TO THE BONE.

Bone McClure's Narrow Escape from Death by Lightning.

Bone McClure, one of Pettis County's best farmers, who lives three miles south, had a narrow escape last Saturday evening from death by lightning.

During a thunderstorm, while crawling through a wire fence, he put his hand on a wire to press it down. At that moment the fence was struck by an electric bolt and McClure was knocked senseless. His left hand, which was holding the wire, was burned to the bone.

No Female Preachers.

At the general assembly of the Cumberland Presbyterian church, in session at Eugene, Ore., one of the most important questions before it for consideration, and one which has been hanging fire for some time, was the advisability of ordaining women as ministers. A Mrs. Woolsey was present as a regular delegate, and she early brought up the question. A hard fight resulted and ended in the declaration that constitutionally a woman cannot be ordained a minister. A like action was taken on the question of ordaining women for the clergyship.

A Principal Chosen.

Mr. X. P. Wilfley, of Fayette, has been elected principal of the Tipton schools, to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Prof. W. A. Clark, who has held that position for the past five years.

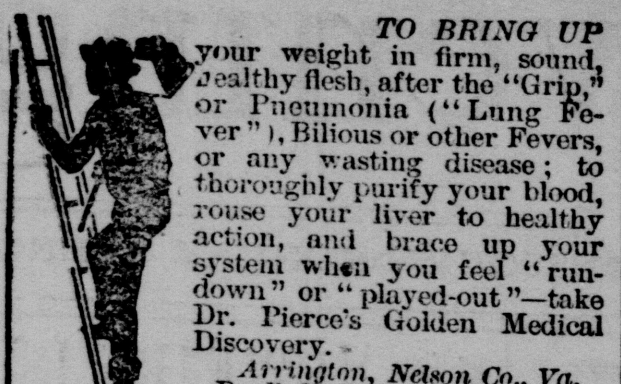
Mr. Wilfley is a young man of unusual talent. He won first prize at the state oratorical contest at Sedalia this spring, and brought the third prize to Missouri at the international contest at Indianapolis, Ind. There were over forty-five applications to select from for the various departments.

A Unique Ear of Corn.

Saline county, says the Marshall Democrat News, beats the world for corn. In fact our soil is so rich that the ears of corn are made to take on all sorts of fantastic shapes in very exuberance of productive fertility. On Saturday Mr. G. W. Naught, from near Koping, this county, brought us a corn-cob that looked almost like a human hand, thumb, fingers and palm. Every prong had been fully covered with grains and the resemblance to an old-fashioned knitted glove for the left hand was most remarkable.

Assisted a Brother.

The Knights of Pythias yesterday took up a collection for a brother member who is ill at the hospital and \$9 were realized.



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TWO SHOOTING SCRAPES.

Both of Them By Colored People and Caused By Crap Games.

In a crap game at Fayette, Saturday night, at a house kept by Marion and George Tolson, Tom Heironymus got into a quarrel with Tom Munday over 5 cents and drew his knife.

Marion Tolson went downstairs and got his revolver, and when Heironymus went at him with the knife, shot him in the left side, striking the cartilage of the seventh rib and ranging down.

Tolson gave himself up and is in jail. The wounded man is very low, but still alive.

Jerry Kingsbury shot another negro at Franklin over a crap game with a shotgun, the shot taking effect in the head and left lung. All the parties in the above fights are colored.

Pleasantly Surprised.

The members of the Y. P. S. C. E. of the Second Congregational church, with their friends, gathered at the home of their president, Charles Bryan, Saturday night, in honor of his seventeenth birthday. Some beautiful presents were among the tributes given to him. The table was loaded with choicest viands and beautifully decorated with flowers during the fore part of the evening while he had been purposely enticed away. His surprise on his return can well be imagined.

Drowned While Picknicking.

On Cow creek, five miles southeast of Marshall, Saturday, Jack Field and family, of Marshall, went picknicking. About 1 o'clock the children went to the creek to play, but soon returned minus their 4-year-old brother. Search was made all night in the storm, the mother being one of the party. A number went from Marshall Sunday, formed in line, waded up the creek a mile, and found the boy's body.

A Fine Collection.

Miss Anna Dickman, whose marriage to Jas. R. Major on the 20th inst. was chronicled in yesterday's DEMOCRAT, probably has the largest and handsomest collection of souvenir spoons of any person in Sedalia. There are forty-four of them, gold and silver, and many of them are beautifully engraved, the collection commanding the admiration of all who have inspected it.

A Racing Course.

Contractor E. G. Church completed the paving of West Fifth street last Saturday afternoon and since that time it has been utilized as a race course by a number of people who own fast steppers. There is entirely too much rapid driving in Sedalia, and Chief Kahrs should call down some of the drivers.

The "Gazette" Players Won.

The "Gazette" base ball club defeated a South Sedalia nine Sunday by a score of 23 to 11.

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Furnished front room. Apply at 316 West Eleventh or 416 Ohio.

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Until July 10th, 1894, I will sell as follows:

Buggies for \$85.00, former price \$125.00.

Surreys for \$150, former price \$190.

Phetons for \$125 to \$150, former price \$150 to \$175.

Spring Wagons for \$75, former price \$90.

Buckboards in proportion.

Having bought the entire stock at sheriff sale and must realize on same by the above date.

Call and see our work before purchasing elsewhere. This work is all guaranteed.

We will still look after repairing at reasonable rates. The work is all done under the supervision of W. J. and C. T. Kelk.

GEO. E. DUGAN.

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

Prosecuting Attorney. WE are authorized to announce JOHN CASHMAN a candidate for prosecuting attorney, subject to the decision of the democratic primary election.

County Judge. WE are authorized to announce W. B. HIGGINS, of Flat Creek township, as a candidate for Judge of the County Court from the Western district, subject to the democratic primary.

Assessor. WE are authorized to announce W. D. WILSON a candidate for county assessor, subject to the democratic primary.

County Clerk. WE are authorized to announce M. H. HENNING, a candidate for County Assessor, subject to the democratic primary.

County Clerk. WE are authorized to announce F. H. ARBOLD a candidate for County Clerk, subject to the democratic primary.

Circuit Clerk. WE are authorized to announce R. E. GUTHRIE, of Laticum, as a candidate for Circuit Clerk, subject to the democratic primary.

County Recorder. WE are authorized to announce E. R. MARVIN as a candidate for the democratic nomination for the office of Circuit Clerk of Pettis county.

County Recorder. WE are authorized to announce HENRY Y. FIELD, of Longwood township, as a candidate for recorder of Pettis county, subject to the democratic primary.

County Recorder. WE are authorized to announce J. H. PILKINGTON a candidate for recorder of deeds, subject to the democratic primary.

County Sheriff. WE are authorized to announce W. H. HARRIS, of Washington township, a candidate for sheriff of Pettis county, subject to the democratic primary.

County Sheriff. WE are authorized to announce THOMAS PRENTICE, a candidate for sheriff of Pettis county, subject to the democratic primary.

County Treasurer. WE are authorized to announce JOSEPH G. DILLARD, of Bowling Green township, a candidate for sheriff, subject to the democratic primary.

County Treasurer. WE are authorized to announce E. F. SMITH, of Hughesville township, a candidate for county treasurer, subject to the decision of the democratic primary.

County Treasurer. WE are authorized to announce ROBT. E. PETERSON, of Bowling Green township, a candidate for county treasurer, subject to the decision of the democratic primary.

County Treasurer. WE are authorized to announce JAMES G. PIERCE a candidate for county treasurer, subject to the democratic primary.

County Collector. WE are authorized to announce W. Z. BAUM, of Sedalia, as a candidate for county collector, subject to the decision of the democratic primary.

County Collector. WE are authorized to announce W. F. HANSEN, a candidate for county collector, subject to the democratic primary.

County Collector. WE are authorized to announce J. M. HANSEN, a candidate for county collector, subject to the decision of the democratic primary.

County Collector. WE are authorized to announce JOHN E. WEATHERS, a candidate for county collector, subject to the democratic primary.

County Collector. WE are authorized to announce P. H. GRACE as a candidate for County Collector, subject to the democratic primary.

County Collector. WE are authorized to announce SAMUEL J. WEATHERS, of Houstonia township, a candidate for county collector subject to the democratic primary.

Resolution. Be it resolved by the council of the city of Sedalia, Mo., as follows, to-wit: That we deem and declare it necessary that Fourth street from West Main avenue west to Grand avenue be brought to grade and paved and that this resolution be published in the newspaper doing the city printing, for two consecutive weeks.

Resolution. Be it resolved by the council of the city of Sedalia, Mo., as follows, to-wit: That we deem and declare it necessary that Seventh street from the east line of Ohio avenue to the west line of Lafayette avenue be brought to grade and paved, and that this resolution be published in the newspaper doing the city printing, for two consecutive weeks.

Resolution. Be it resolved by the council of the city of Sedalia, Mo., as follows, to-wit: That we deem and declare it necessary that Osage avenue from the M. & T. railway track south to the north line of Broadway street be brought to grade and paved, and that this resolution be published in the newspaper doing the city printing, for two consecutive weeks.

Resolution. Be it resolved by the council of the city of Sedalia, Mo., as follows, to-wit: That we deem and declare it necessary that the time prescribed in the revised ordinances.

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Showy Shoes

Please the ladies. That is not all. They want something that wears well and always looks well. Our \$3.00 shoes for instance. Can't say they will remain at that low figure. Now is your opportunity, ladies. Character writes its name on your face in indelible ink. We write ours on the shoes we sell. We can so artfully adorn an ill-formed foot that it will appear beautiful. Bring your husbands and sons, ladies. We've good temptations for them.

[Signed] HART BROS.

No. 120 Ohio Street.

SEDALIA GROCER COMPANY,

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL DEALERS IN Staple & Fancy Groceries.

We are opening up a NEW STOCK in our large building, 106 and 108 West Fifth street, and will make prices to dealers that will save them money. In our Retail Department will be found a Fine Line of Fancy Groceries at prices that will attract cash buyers.

CALL ... AND ... SEE ... US.

MISSOURI TRUST COMPANY

Capital Paid in.....\$200,000. Surplus.....\$36,000.

THIS company acts as Administrator, Executor, Guardian, Curator, Receiver and Trustee and accepts Trusts of all kinds, whether created by will or under appointment of courts.

Dealer in investment securities. Loans money on real estate. Safe Deposit Boxes for rent. Custodian of wills and other valuable papers.

Nickel Saving Stamp System—Stamps can be found at the following places: Chris Hye, C. F. Boatright, Ous Smith and at our office.

Five Per Cent. Interest Paid on Savings—The only financial institution in Sedalia authorized by law to receive savings deposits.

Directors—O. A. Crandall, President; F. A. Sampson, Vice President; G. L. Faulhaber, Treasurer; F. E. Hoffman, Secretary; Henry Lamm, Chris Hye, R. H. Moses, J. W. Murphy, W. T. Hutchinson.

FOURTH & OHIO STREETS, SEDALIA, MO.

SEDALIA Building & Loan Ass'n OF SEDALIA, MO.

CAPITAL STOCK, - - \$1,000,000

DIRECTORS—C. G. Taylor, President; C. Richardson, Sec'y; S. P. Johns, Treas.; J. B. Gallie.

This Association pays on monthly savings of 80 cents and upward 12 per cent, compounded annually; on paid up stock 8 per cent, payable semi-annually. No forfeiture of dividends. Loans money on real estate security at 7-15 per cent. interest. Stock issued monthly in consecutive series and matures definitely in seven years. NO ADMISSION FEE. Call on

C. RICHARDSON, Secretary, No. 111 Ohio Street, Sedalia, Mo.

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Northeast Corner Ohio and Second Streets. CAPITAL STOCK, Paid Up, - \$100,000.

TRANSACTS a general banking business. We solicit accounts of Farmers, Merchants, Corporations and Individuals, promising a safe depository for all funds committed to our charge. We are prepared to extend liberal accommodations to the trade, including the Farmers and Live Stock dealers in Pettis county.

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The most Healthful Beverage, So pronounced by Eminent Physicians, is

THE CELEBRATED LEMP'S BEER.

It is undoubtedly the Finest Beer brewed for Family use, for the Table and invalids. Mail and city orders will receive prompt attention.

E. C. CASSIDY, Sole Agent. Office and Salesroom, 117 East Main St. Telephone 114.

RAILROAD RUMBLE.

An Important Decision on the Separate Coach Law.

STORY OF A BRAKEMAN.

Items of Interest Picked Up From Various Sources for the Benefit of "Democrat" Readers.

Judge Barr, of the United States supreme court, has delivered an important decision on the separate coach question, relative to the right of a state to force the law. Kentucky, as did other states, passed the law compelling colored people to ride in a separate car, and the supreme court has held that a state may enforce such a law within its confines, but has gone no further.

In the case before Judge Barr, a negro and his wife started from some point in Indiana to a point in Kentucky. They held tickets for first-class passage, which were represented and a check given for passage. Upon arriving at the first station in Kentucky, they were requested to take the car especially for negroes, which they refused to do and were ejected, bringing suit against the road for damages.

The road stood upon the statutes. Judge Barr, however, took the view that whereas a state might control the separate coach question as far as its boundaries went, it could not interfere with interstate commerce, and he believed the law so did interfere.

The question is of vital importance to all railroads operating in the south, and it is by no means settled, as the company has appealed to the supreme court of the United States.

A Brakeman's Story.

The railroad conductor was talking to the new brakeman about the small business the road was doing in their department.

"I never saw it so bad," said the conductor.

"Why, this ain't a smell to what I've seen it out west five years ago," protested the brakeman.

"It couldn't have been much worse."

"Couldn't it? Well, I don't think. Why, on one road where I was for better'n a year they used to make us train hands pay our way, so's to show any business at all for the passenger department. Talk about small business; why, you don't know a little thing about the real thing, you don't," and the brakeman got off the woodbox and tried to work the train boy for a twoferio perfecto.

Coach, Cab and Caboose.

Superintendent W. B. Lyons came in from a trip north last night.

Traveling Auditor E. H. Farley, of the M., K. & T., left last night for Chicago.

The news of Bill Dalton's death created a profound sensation along the line of the M., K. & T.

J. W. Chapman, agent for the American Express Co., came home from Hannibal this morning.

John B. Sneed, of the M., K. & T. at Fort Worth, passed north last night, on his way to St. Louis.

Superintendent Allen, of the M., K. & T., passed north from Parsons in his private car yesterday.

The Cotton Belt is preparing to burn wood in the event coal gives out. Their supply is very small.

About 150 cars of stock were moved over the Cherokee division of the M., K. & T. last Saturday.

Geo. J. Pollock, general auditor for the M., K. & T., came in from the south last evening and proceeded to St. Louis.

Depotmaster Carnes was able to resume work this morning, after a two days' layoff on account of stomach trouble.

John F. Antes, of the M., K. & T. office in St. Louis, spent the Sabbath here and returned to his duties last night.

The M., K. & T. today began surveying a new line from Parsons down through the coal fields of Crawford county, Kas.

Wm. O'Herin, superintendent of motive power for the M., K. & T., came in from Parsons last evening and passed on to St. Louis.

Dick and Patsy Sullivan, dispatchers for the M., K. & T. at Denison, passed through Sedalia last night, on their way to Chicago.

Sam Stahl, his son, Will, C. W. Holland and Sam Brown, will leave tonight for South McAllister, I. T., where they are erecting a depot for the "Katy."

Conductor Pears, of the Gln River Railroad, was murdered at Yosemite, Ky., last Friday night by

A. L. Watkins, whose wife he had debauched.

While the Big Four people think they have enough coal on hand to supply their engines this month and July, William Garstang, superintendent of motive power, is fitting up the engines on the Cairo and Michigan divisions to burn wood.

Will F. Vail, for fifteen years general passenger and ticket representative of the Burlington in Omaha, and one of the best known railroad men in the west, died suddenly yesterday, while undergoing a surgical operation for a cancer.

The trouble among the engineers and firemen on the Louisville, New Albany & Chicago road over the wage schedule has been adjusted. The road announced a reduction in the wages some two months ago. To this the men objected and for a time a strike was imminent.

The Big Four railroad, which decided to adopt wood for locomotives' fuel on the Michigan division this week, has abandoned that determination, and will burn coal as long as it can be obtained. When the manufacturers along the road found that the company intended consuming wood in the engines not fitted up with fire screens, and that the locomotives would throw showers of sparks at every exhaust, they objected to the innovation. The company is now receiving coal from Ohio river barges at North Bend, and hopes to pull through without resorting to wood.

Notice of Election.

Joint notice is hereby given that a meeting of the shareholders will be held at the office of the Equitable Loan and Investment associations, at the corner of Fourth and Lamine streets, in the city of Sedalia, Mo., on Tuesday, the 19th day of June, 1894, between the hours of 2 p. m. and 6 p. m. on said day, for the purpose of election of officers and directors in both the Equitable Loan and Investment association of Sedalia, Mo., and the Equitable Loan and Investment association No. 2 of Sedalia, Mo., for the ensuing year.

JAS. H. DOYLE,
President of Equitable Loan and Investment Ass'n.

E. E. JOHNSTON,
President of Equitable Loan and Investment Ass'n No. 2.
Attest: C. B. RODES, Sec'y.

Livery Property Traded.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Love have traded their Fourth street livery property to Hoffman Bros. for the Offield farm of 303 acres, two and one-half miles southeast of the city, the exchange price being \$10,000. The barn rents for \$65 a month and the lessee keeps the property in proper repair.

A Woman Beating Her Way.

The novel sight of a woman beating her way on top of a passenger coach was witnessed at the union depot yesterday morning, on the arrival of Missouri Pacific train No. 3 from St. Louis. The female was accompanied by two men, and was permitted to continue her journey unmolested.

Burial of Mrs. Sterlin.

Funeral services over the remains of Mrs. Martha Sterlin, who died last Saturday evening, were held this forenoon at High Point church, ten miles northwest of Sedalia. The deceased was the mother of Mr. Rod Gallie, of this city, and was 68 years old.

Bargains in Vehicles.

Road wagons, \$35; former price \$45; farm wagons, \$50 to \$75; buggies, from \$65 up; spring wagons, from \$50 up. All kind of wagons made to order. Horse shoeing and repair work a specialty, at E. J. Kiesling's, 314 West Second street.

Excitement at Nevada.

Mayer Jones, of Nevada, issued an order compelling all business houses to be closed on Sunday and instructing the marshal and police to enforce the order to its fullest extent. It caused much excitement.

St. Louis Spring Races.

Excursion rates via Missouri Pacific railway. For rates, dates of sale and limits, call on

H. L. BERRY,
Ticket Agent.

Will Ship Their Horses.

Porter & Son, of Dunksburg, will ship their stable of horses to Higginsville this week and work them on the half-mile track there.

Burial of an Infant.

The 4-days-old infant of Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Kull, No. 711 North Grand avenue, was buried yesterday.

Smoke the "Lone Tree" cigar, the best 5 cent cigar in the city. Manufactured by C. Honkomp.

Go and take your friends to the country. Open cars every half hour via the Forest park line.

Forest park is in full bloom. Go out and see it.

Furnished room for rent. Enquire at 319 West Sixth street.

For Rent.

Nice front room, 219 West Fifth.

Go to Forest park and take your children, they will enjoy it. The cars run every half hour.

Sweet to the Sweet.

The purest candies only manufactured at the Candy Palace, 501 Ohio street.

Grand Railroad Picnic

To be given under the auspices of the B. of L. F. at Forest park, June 16. Everybody cordially invited.

Liquors, Wines, Beer.

The gallon trade, selling, shipping in jugs, kegs, cases, from half a gallon up, a specialty.

FRANK KRUEGER, 112 Osage.

Wanted—Traveling Solicitors. None but experienced men need apply.

MISSOURI MERCANTILE ASS'N,
Room 306, Hoffman Bld'g.

St. Louis Spring Races.

The M., K. & T. will sell tickets at reduced rates to St. Louis. For rates, dates of sale and limits, call on

H. L. BERRY,
Ticket Agent.

Young Men

Are heartily invited to attend the meeting at the Young Men's Christian association tomorrow afternoon. A new and novel meeting has been planned by the devotional committee, which will be very interesting. Mr. J. E. Davidson, of Kansas, will preside.

Mineral Waters

Sweet Springs, natural by the gallon, Carbonated and Ginger Ale in quarts.

McAllister, sulphur, salt and Crystal Springs, lime, alum, by the gallon.

FRANK KRUEGER, 112 Osage.

Pasture for Rent.

Good pasture for 100 head of steers on my farm, twelve miles south of Sedalia, or will rent either of two pastures, one containing 160 and the other 320 acres; good grass, water and shade. See James S. Ream, Green Ridge, Mo.

JNO. T. HEARD.

Dissolution Notice.

The firm of Hinsdale & Menefee have this day dissolved by mutual consent. Mr. Hinsdale will be found at the old stand ready for business. Mr. Menefee will conduct the same line of business at the old Stevens & Price stable, on West Second street.

IRA HINSDALE,
J. W. MENEFEE.
May 29, 1894.

Whitsett & Hammer, Lawyers,

Have their main office at room 26, Ilgenfritz building, Sedalia, Mo., with Albert S. Hammer, managing attorney; and also have a branch office at Higginsville, Mo., with I. W. Whitsett in charge. They do a general law practice and have special facilities for collecting claims and attending to legal business in every city and town in the United States.

You Need a Vacation.

Just a suggestion: Why not try the Rocky Mountains? No better medicine exists than the dry, clear, balsamic air of that region. Anywhere among Pike's Peak, or further into the range (like Glenwood Springs) will do. Did you whisper trout fishing? Yes, plenty of it, off the railroads, in secluded nooks.

Camping out in tents, living in cottages or boarding at the big hotels—the cost is little or much, as you please.

The Santa Fe route has on sale excursion tickets to all principal Colorado and Utah resorts. Inquire of

G. W. HAGENBAUGH,
Passenger Agent, A. T. & S. F. R. R.,
1050, Union Ave., Kansas City, Mo.

The Celebrated French Cure.

Warranted "APHRODITINE" or money to refund.

Is sold on a POSITIVE GUARANTEE to cure any form of nervous disease or any disorder of the generative organs of either sex, whether arising from the excess of stimulants, tobacco or opium, or through youthful indiscretion, over indulgence, etc., such as Loss of Brain Power, Wakefulness, Brains in the back, Seminal Weakness, Hysteria, Nervous Prostration, Nocturnal Emissions, Lencorrhoea, Pimples, Weak Memory, Loss of Power and Impotency, which if neglected often lead to premature old age and insanity. Price \$1.00 a box, 6 boxes for \$5.00. Sent by mail on receipt of price.

A WRITTEN GUARANTEE is given for every \$2.00 order received, to refund the money if a permanent cure is not effected. We have thousands of testimonials from old and young of both sexes, who have been permanently cured by the use of Aphroditine. Circulars free. Mention paper. Address THE APHRODITINE CO., P. O. Box 27, PORTLAND, OREGON.



I DON'T OFTEN SAY much to the public—but if you are looking for soft snaps in

CLOTHING and FURNISHINGS

Spend a few minutes with

E. E. Johnston,

The Boss Clothier,

209 OHIO STREET 209

Keep eyes on McClellan and buy your wall paper of him.

M. V. Sweet sells boiling meat 3 cents a pound. Tel. 226.

Furnished house for rent. Inquire at 319 West Sixth street.

Go to Forest park today and enjoy the scenery and a delightful ride.

Smoke the National Golden Rod, the best 10c cigar in the city. Manufactured by C. Honkomp, 218 Lamine street.

Two baby deers, beauties, at Forest Park. Take your children out to see them. Cars run every 15 minutes.

Prof. Neil.

government chemist, writes: I have carefully analyzed your "Royal Ruby Port wine," bought by me in the open market, and certify that I found the same absolutely pure and well aged. This wine is especially recommended for its health-restoring and building up properties; it strengthens the weak and restores lost vitality; particularly adapted for convalescents, the aged, nursing mothers and those reduced and weakened by over-work and worry. Be sure you get "Royal Ruby;" \$1 per quart bottles, pints 60 cts. Sold by A. S. McGowan.

NOTICE

To East Sedalians.

From this day on until the 20th of June, the entire stock of goods, comprising boots, shoes, furnishing goods and clothing, owned and run by Hart Bros., 909 East Third, will be sold regardless of cost, for Cash, preparatory to removing to our Ohio street store, No. 120. This is a rare chance to secure bargains. As the stock must be reduced.

J. K. HART'S OLD STAND,
909 East Third.

Parties desiring a good stand and a first-class stock of goods and fixtures can purchase the entire stock. Apply at 120 OHIO.

Dr. T. G. Bracking,

Physician and Surgeon, treats all diseases and injuries of women, nervous and other stubborn diseases, tumors, cancers, ulcers, fistulas, hemorrhoids, fissures, strictures, ruptures, eye, ear, throat, chest, and all surgical and chronic ailments, crooked limbs, &c., with extraordinary success! Ruptures and virucose veins, radically cured without knife and little pain! Why be experimented with by either transient or local "quacks" at such great hazards and waste of money, when you can secure the skillful services of such a master and scientific expert as Dr. Bracking, whose wonderful cures are so well known all over this continent and the British Isles, (when all else had failed?)

No one should be misled by the traducing and false statements and insinuations of his little "sore-headed" enemies, who fear his superior skill as a rival. He has an abundance of the highest endorsements of the nation (medical and otherwise,) and fearing no rivals, he is fully prepared to compete fairly with all. Office in Hoffman Building, Sedalia, Mo.

GON-O

Is the only absolutely infallible remedy for all discharges in any stage; either sex. Safe, sure and clean. Guaranteed cure \$1.00. All druggists or by mail. Midland Remedy Co., Lincoln, Neb.

Announcement

We take pleasure in announcing to our friends and patrons that we have leased the large and elegant store room in the Hoffman Building, thus securing the most commodious and most desirable headquarters in the city.

We will move July 1st, and between now and that time will offer to make to order, rather than move, choice of our large assortment of Scotch Cheviot and Worsted Suitings at a great saving to the purchaser.

It will be worth the while of any one contemplating ordering a suit or even trousers, to visit us and get our prices.

Remember we move to Hoffman Building July 1st.

S. R. WOLF,

The Modern Tailor

E. W. GREENE,
Mgr. Tailoring Dep't.

FOR SALE.

I have concluded to make sale of the mill grounds, consisting of two acres, as a whole or in part, dividing north from the Missouri Pacific railway, together with the mill and elevator—this ought to be a valuable manufacturing location—or I would make sale of the buildings to be removed off the grounds. The material consists of 235 perches of stone, 70 M brick, 5 M ft. dimension oak, 10 M ft. dimension pine, and 12 M ft. flooring, siding and board, may be more, at one-half the price of new, or would entertain a bid.

Also one 12-horse P. engine, horizontal, 1-50 in. exhaust fan, one large steam heat fruit evaporator, 16 improved apple pears, and other outfit, all in good order.

Also one-third undivided interest in 3 acres of ground and 8 dwelling houses in the city of Aurora, Mo.

Also will rent or sell my fine brick dwelling on the N. W. corner of Seventh and Washington streets. No incumbrance on any of this property.

Apply to

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LeGrande, Lamine St.

JNO. F. ANTES.



DR. RODRIGUEZ SPANISH TREATMENT. Guaranteed Cure for LOST MANHOOD and all attending ailments, both of young and middle aged men and women. The awful effects of YOUTHPFUL ERECTIONS, prostrating weakness, Nervous Debility, Nightly Emissions, Consumption, Insanity, Exhausting drains and loss of power of the Generative Organs building one for study, business and marriage is quickly cured by Dr. Rodriguez Spanish Nerve Brains. They not only cure by starting at the seat of disease, but are a great NERVE TONIC and BLOOD BUILDING, bringing back the pink glow to pale cheeks and restoring the FIRE OF YOUTH to the patient. By mail, \$1.00 per box or 6 for \$5 with written guarantee to cure or refund the money. Book free. Spanish Nerve Grain Co., Box 2399, New York.

For sale by Aug. T. Fleischmann's pharmacy, corner Fourth and Ohio streets, Sedalia, Mo.

Shoot Luke, or Give Up the Gun!

Here is the middle of May, and 10,000 Suits unsold.

What Does It Mean?

Why, that Blair Bros. are going to cut loose and get the money.

So to begin we shave off \$4.00 on \$20.00 Suits.
So to begin we shave off 3.00 on 18.00 Suits.
So to begin we shave off 2.00 on 14.00 Suits.

6,275 Shirts Unsold.

It means a reduction of 25c on all Shirts over 75c
It means a reduction of 15c on all Shirts under 50c

No limit to reduction on Hats. Everybody knows that we have ten times the stock that any house in Sedalia carries, and we want the money out of them. The fact is that Blair Bros. were born in Arkansas for a specific purpose. It was Blair Bros. that brought down the Glaciers; it was Blair Bros. that brought down Clothing, Hats, Shirts and Drawers. Our missionary work is not complete; we are here to do business on top of the table.

No Misrepresentation

No Monkeying

No Credit

Your money talks, and all you have to do with Blair Bros. is to indicate. Our skulls are not more than 2, 2½ or 3 inches thick. Go to

Blair Bros. for Clothing.

LARGE, WELL-VENTILATED ROOMS. TABLE UNSURPASSED.
BEST \$2.00-A-DAY HOTEL IN CENTRAL MISSOURI.

SICHER'S HOTEL

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WEATHER REPORT				
For the 24 Hours, Ending at 2 O'clock This Afternoon by C. G. Taylor.				
Wind	Cloudiness in tenths	Temperature	Precipitation in inches	
S	3	Max. 90° Min. 65°	0.00	
Barometer, 29.80.				

PERSONAL.

Wilson & Ittel, fashionable tailors. J. E. McCormick visited Syracuse today.

B. H. Ingram went to Moberly this morning.

Dave M. Dodge came home from Windsor last night.

R. W. Griffith came home from Concordia this forenoon.

Mrs. Dorn left last evening for a visit at El Dorado Springs.

Rev. J. M. Plannett returned from Lamonte this morning.

Prof. J. M. Chance came home from Lexington this morning.

Nat S. Green was here from Jefferson City to spend the Sabbath.

Will Courtney visited at Holden yesterday and returned home today.

Dr. O. P. Kernodle and little son are down from Knobnoster today.

F. F. Combes, the poultry dealer, left last night for a day's sojourn in St. Louis.

Ed Phillips, the Kansas City boot and shoe man, left this morning for Lexington.

Miss Ruth Brereton left yesterday for a visit of a week with friends at Clifton City.

J. B. Steele, of Clinton, and Jos. Sullens, of Versailles, were guests at Kaiser's this morning.

W. B. Dwyer, formerly of Sedalia, passed through from Dallas to St. Louis this morning.

Rev. Wm. Jones came in from Green Ridge this morning and goes to Dresden this afternoon.

Joe H. Simpson and family spent the Sabbath at Camp Branch and returned home last evening.

C. F. Showalter, the Ohio street restaurant keeper, visited Sweet Springs yesterday afternoon.

J. E. Clark, of Tipton; H. L. Thieman, of Concordia, and H. G. Hare, of Warrensburg, were at Secher's last night.

City Clerk Frank Graham and wife, of Kansas City, passed west yesterday afternoon, en route home from a visit at Jefferson City.

Misses Mamie Allen and Amelia Dorn returned yesterday from a two weeks' visit with friends in Morgan and Moniteau counties.

Geo. Zollinger, official stenographer of Cooper county, spent the Sabbath with his people at Otterville and returned to Boonville last night.

Phil E. and Oscar H. Ott left yesterday for Excelsior Springs to attend the annual meeting of the Missouri State Pharmaceutical association.

Ira Perdue and Harry Farr, of Green Ridge, are in the city today, but deny the charge that they are delegates to the convention being held at the court house.

Rev. Alexander Allen, rector of Calvary Episcopal church, left yesterday for Canada in response to a telegram apprising him of the dangerous illness of his father.

Hon. Richard Dalton, surveyor of the port of St. Louis, was in the city yesterday, on his way to Lamonte to deliver an address at the Knights of Maccabees' entertainment tonight.

Ed, McCormick, wife and two children, of Rich Hill, who have been visiting Mrs. McCormick's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Burt, for three weeks, departed for home this afternoon.

Warren V. Galbreath, wife and Hall Frey, who were present last week at the marriage of Miss Ella Galbreath at Ripley, O., passed

We Hate to Refuse Our Patrons Anything

But our store is crowded with the elegant stock of Pianos and Organs, and we have no room for concert purposes, therefore we must be excused. If we ever find we have more space than the volume of our business can take care of we shall be happy to accommodate everybody with musicals, concerts, etc., but if our business continues to go and grow, we shall have to "hire a hall" for the accommodation of our importunate friends.

We are selling Kimball Pianos and Organs, and attending strictly to business as usual at

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No. 408 Ohio Street, Sedalia, Mo.

Prices for This Week.

Decidedly to the interest of all purchasers who consider Quality and Freshness of Material as well as Low Prices.

Talk about bargains; what do you think of these?

3 1/2c a yard will buy your choice of a line of Challies in neat patterns worth 5c a yard.

5c A regular 10c quality Twilled Serge and Outing Cloth, in solid colors—blue, pink, cream and tan, for 5c a yard.

10c A large assortment of Figured India Mulls in beautiful designs for 10c a yard.

12 1/2c At this price we give you choice of a line of Dotted Swisses, India Linens and Victoria Lawns, worth from 15c to 20c a yard.

5c Good quality Ladies' Ribbed Vests, reduced to 5c each; finer grade Vests at 7 1/2c, 8 1/2c, 10c, 12 1/2c, and upwards.

7 1/2c Children's good quality Ribbed Hose, worth 10c; our price, 7 1/2c a pair.

\$1.35 Ladies' Gloria Silk Umbrellas with Loop Handles, worth \$1.75; a bargain at \$1.35.

48c A case of Warner Bros.' Summer Corsets on sale this week at 48c each.

2c We have just received a large shipment of Fans ranging in price from 5c up to \$5.00.

You will find all these items money-savers. Come and look at them, and compare with prices elsewhere.

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Tuesday Eve., June 19th.

Benefit of the

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When will be produced the Sterling sensational play

"AURORA FLOYD" or "Twice Married."

ADMISSION, 50c. No extra charge for reserved seats.
P. S.—Arrangements made to ice the opera house; make cool and pleasant.

west yesterday afternoon, en route to Topeka, Kas.

John Menefee went to St. Louis today.

Mr. H. Ellis left today for Johnstown, Pa.

Rev. E. P. Ryland left for Marshall at noon today.

Mrs. Myra Bender left at noon today for Everett, Pa.

Samuel Irvin and wife left yesterday for Saratoga, N. Y.

Prof. D. R. Cully was a passenger to Buncheon at noon today.

Chas. Moorhead and wife came home from St. Louis this morning.

Harry Edmonson accompanied his mother to St. Louis at noon today.

W. C. Murphy, of Butler, who has been visiting the family of John Delong, left for home today.

Mrs. Simon Cronin arrived from Kansas City today and is the guest of her sister, Mrs. John Hartshorn.

Mr. J. V. Fitch, wife and three children are the guests of Al. M. Harris and family at 704 East Fifth street.

A. C. Baldwin is in Saline county today, having accompanied his sons, Julian and Rush, there for a visit of several weeks.

Gus Fleischmann left today for Godfrey, Ill., where his daughter, Miss Gertrude, graduates from Monticello seminary tomorrow.

Miss Nellie Leaming, of Sedalia, who has been visiting Miss Mamie Neet the past few days, returned to her home in Sedalia this morning, accompanied by the latter, who will make a short visit.—Warrensburg Star.

Two Licenses Issued.

Marriage licenses were issued today to Jas. R. Woolridge, of Newcomb, Tenn., and Cora V. Thomson, of Sedalia; Nathaniel Crawford and Nancy R. Cordwell, both of Pettis county.

Stock Sold Well.

A big stock sale took place at Hughesville last Saturday, and both horses and cattle sold for good prices.

Worn Out Faces Rejuvenated

20 years' practical experience removing wrinkles, filling out hollow cheeks, removing noses, ears and mouths. All skin blemishes and deformities and their treatment described and illustrated in a 150-page book sent to any address for 10 cts.

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NAMING THE LOSERS.

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time and he could not afford to sacrifice his personal affairs in order to make the canvass.

COMMITTEE ON CREDENTIALS.

The committee on credentials had considerable trouble in settling the Lake Creek difficulties arising from contesting delegations from the township. The report of the committee seated all of the delegates holding proper credentials, excepting those from Lake Creek. One delegate from each of the contesting delegations from Lake Creek was seated and the other thrown out.

The committee on order of business reported that nominations be made in the following order:

ORDER OF BUSINESS.

1st, of representative; 2d, of sheriff; 3d, of prosecuting attorney; 4th, of collector; 5th, of county clerk; 6th, of circuit clerk; 7th, of assessor; 8th, of recorder; 9th, of treasurer; 10th, of coroner; 11th, of probate judge; 12th, of presiding judge county court; 13th, of county judges east and west districts; 14th, of township officers.

WANTS A PRIMARY.

After the report of the committee had been read, Dr. J. H. Mertz moved that the whole order of business be referred back to the people for a primary election to be held in August.

On motion of C. W. Leabo, of Green Ridge, the motion was laid on the table.

On motion of C. W. Leabo, the temporary organization was made permanent.

A SMALL ROW.

The convention got into a wrangle over the seating of the temporary officers, and a demand was made for a recount. A standing vote was ordered and the vote as previously announced was confirmed. R. H. Moses, who had been named for chairman, suggested that the convention get down to business. Chairman Dr. C. W. Leabo and John D. Crawford made explanatory and apologetic speeches and the republican love feast was resumed.

COMMITTEE ON RESOLUTIONS.

The committee on resolutions made the following report, which was adopted:

RESOLVED, First, adopting and reaffirming the republican national platform of 1892; we therefore

RESOLVE, That the constant patriotism of our party is in itself a guarantee to the nation that we, as republicans, adhere to the doctrine of protection and believe that tariff laws should protect the products of the farm as well as of the factory.

RESOLVED, That the American people favor bimetalism and the republican party demands the use of both gold and silver, as standard money, with such restrictions and under such provisions to be determined by legislation as will secure the maintenance of the parity of the values of the two metals,

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10,000 yards of Dress Goods at half value and less.

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This sale is a practical demonstration of the fact.

Almost a whole stock grouped into four prices,—half value and less for every pattern.

It takes courage to sell new desirable goods at half value, but we do not consider values or count cost when the question of bringing good to you and this store is up.

Here are the greatest Dress Goods bargains ever brought to your notice, we think.

PATTERNS FOR \$5.00.

In all about 150 Suits, Pattern Dresses, worth \$8.00, \$9.00, and \$10.00. Silk and Wool Mixtures worth \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50. yard. Silk and Wool Fancies, Wool Fancies, Wool Crapes, Silk and Wool Crapes, Covert Cloths, Cashmere Mixtures, Illuminated Cashmeres, Drap'd, Paris, Epengalines, Swivels, nothing worth less than \$1.00 and most \$1.25, and \$1.50, the yard. All new goods of this season—full length patterns—Choice (many are worth more than double) for

Only \$5.00.

DRESS FOR \$3.75.

About twelve patterns only for \$3.75. Illuminated Serges, Cashmere Mixtures, Drap'de-Paris, Bengalines, Serges—worth from \$6.00 to \$8.00. Patterns for

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Beside the above items in Dress Goods, we have about fifteen Pattern Dresses worth from \$15.00 to \$20.00—at just half price.—\$15.00 Dress Patterns, \$7.50, etc.

ADDITIONAL—Ten pieces half wool Challies 10c.

Best Imported Wool Challies in Light and Dark Grounds, 37 1/2c.

Eight Patterns Cream and Tinted Ground Challies, regular price 75c, at 48c.

SILKS—Nine pieces only, Black Brocades and Swivel Duchess Silk, Sprays, Dashes, Spots,—small patterns—regular price \$1.25, at 98c

We think this is the grandest grouping together of desirable dress stuffs ever shown in Sedalia. Selections are best now.

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clerk were R. N. Lower and Ernest H. Heaton.

One ballot settled the contest, Lower receiving 92 votes to 32 for Heaton.

At the hour of going to press the work of the convention was in progress, with no hope of finishing in time for this evening's paper.

A Sedalia Lady Complimented.

Sedalia Democrat: Among the many "sweet girl graduates" none perhaps are "sweeter" or more admired than Miss Ida Stillwell, who received a handsome diamond ring on the night she graduated from Mrs. Miller's seminary, the gift of her fond and justly proud parents.

Miss Ida is the daughter of Mr. M. Stillwell, a former and popular Missouri Pacific trainmaster at this place, and they have a large circle of friends here who are glad to know that Miss Ida, although a little girl while here, has developed into an estimable and charming young lady, who bids fair to be as popular among her friends as her father is among the railroad people. Mr. Stillwell is now superintendent of the Missouri Pacific at Sedalia.—Council Grove (Kas.) Guard.

Who Did It?

Some unknown person has cut a large hole in the asphalt pavement on Ohio, near Lamine, and no effort has been made to fill it up.

ANNUAL FISH FRY.

Will Messerly's Big Bass—A Fox Chase at Night.

To the Editor of the Democrat.

According to arrangements, a large number of citizens of Beaman and Smithton townships, with a small contingent from Sedalia, formed a fishing and hunting party last Friday and went into camp on Muddy creek, in a beautiful grove on the farm of John Kellerman, five miles north of Beaman.

The party assembled at 9 o'clock and by noon over one hundred pounds of fine fish had been caught and dressed, and while three dozen hungry men partook of dinner, yet there was an abundance for supper and breakfast and yet "fishes and loaves" to spare.

The day was most pleasantly and successfully spent. One of the boys landed a two foot gar. Will Messerly, who stood near, trying to shoot frogs with an air gun borrowed from a small boy, asked what

The fifth and last ballot results in the nomination of Frank Landmann, the vote being 65 votes for Landmann and 58 ballots for Myers.

The names presented for county

kind of a fish it was. He was told by Dr. Schwabe that it was a fine bass, and as Will had to return to town that evening he should have it as his share of the catch.

Will returned home and went direct to Dick Baker and told him he had been fishing and caught a fine large bass, which he wished prepared for the pan. Dick looked at the gar (the head of which had been removed) and then looked at Messerly and finally said, "Yes, that's a d—d fine bass, and I'll fix it up and send around in time for breakfast," which he did and Will thinks to this hour that he feasted on fine bass instead of an old tough gar.

At night a fox chase was arranged by John McFarland, Mose Hogan and Louis Monness, with a pack of eighteen well trained hounds, which was much enjoyed by all from a distance.

Dr. Schwab was called away during the evening, but returned to camp about 9 o'clock and proceeded to amuse the crowd—in fact, as an all night entertainer "Dock" is a howling success, and those present who heard him tell about the "Dutchman's tool chest" voted him a "Joe dandy." Now, if you don't know what that is, write to Capt. L. L. Bridges for information.

Saturday morning the "hooks and lines were taken in," and about two bushels of fine fish were secured for distribution among those present, giving each a fine string for home consumption. Those comprising the party were: John Kellerman, Jim Thomas, Zach Forbes, John and Zach McFarland, Dr. Schwabe, Geo. Allen, Ben Porter, Mose Hogan, Seymour Williams, Louis Monness, Bud Dillard, Ben Harned, Geo. and Martin Monness, Smith Rissler, Frank Fair, Will Messerly and Joe Bowers, of Sedalia, and E. P. Lampkin, of St. Louis.

Misinterpreted.

Tit-Bits: Bobbie—"What are descendants, father?"

Father—"Why, the people who come after you."

Father (presently)—"Who is that young man in the passage?"

Bobbie—"That's one of sister's descendants come to take her out for a drive."

Legal Lore.

Examiner—"What are exemplary damages?"

Student—"Damages which are perfectly correct and proper."

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What a Rush

To get our \$15.00 Chamber Suits, \$18.00 Parlor Suits, Way down Dining Room Sets. NEVER saw anything like it. Don't know how long this thing can last. They are going like wild fire. No wonder; the price is fascinating—that means low, of course. Now is the time to put in the garret that old worn out suite of yours. We wouldn't insult it, but you must admit it is somewhat antiquated. Fashions in furniture change—we have the latest. The right price for people of small means, means small price. You can't look through a store wall unless there's a hole in it, but you can look at our stock free of charge. 25 per cent. reduction on Baby Buggies. New line of Chiffoniers.

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Tickets sold August 10th and 11th good for return only on August 19th and 25th or September 13th.

H. L. BERRY,

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